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(*b*) the order in which the Government propose to permit the execution of those works; and

(*c*) whether the Government will be pleased to give priority to the drainage scheme of the Vizianagram Municipality as it is the oldest scheme?

A.—(*a*) Coimbatore, Chittoor, Negapatam, Rajahmundry, Salem, Tirupati and Srirangam under execution. Tuticorin and Virudhunagar—estimates under revision; Vizianagram—estimate to be revised.

(*b*) Tuticorin, Virudhunagar and Vizianagram.

(*c*) The execution will be taken up as soon as estimates are revised and preliminaries settled.

***Nomination** to the Municipal Council of Vizianagram.*

10. *Q.*—SRI N. VENKATACHALAMAJI: Will the Hon. the Minister for Local Administration be pleased to state whether some councillors of the superseded Municipal Council of Vizianagram have been nominated to the present nominated Council and if so, why?

A.—Three councillors, namely (1) Vetcha Bulli Veeraswami, merchant, (2) Udayagiri Seetharamaswami, vakil and (3) Masalaganti Rama Rao, vakil, who had been on the superseded Council were appointed as councillors of the reconstituted Council with effect from 13th March 1946, on the recommendation of the Collector of Vizagapatam.

[*Note.*—An asterisk (*) at the commencement of a speech indicates revision by the Member.]

II.—ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE HON. THE PRESIDENT.

* MR. PRESIDENT:—"I have to announce to the House that the following message, dated Fort St. George, the 7th September 1946, has been received by me from the Hon. the Speaker of the Madras Legislative Assembly:—

'In accordance with rule 94 of the Madras Assembly Rules, I transmit a copy of the Madras Tenants and Ryots Protection Bill, 1946 (L.A. Bill No. 6 of 1946), as passed by the Assembly on the 7th September 1946 and signed by me for the concurrence of the Council.'

"I have also to announce to the House that the following message, dated Fort St. George, the 9th September 1946, has been received by me from the Hon. the Speaker of the Madras Legislative Assembly:—

'In accordance with rule 94 of the Madras Assembly Rules, I transmit a copy of the Madras Trade Disputes Adjudication (Temporary Provision) Bill, 1946 (L.A. Bill No. 3 of 1946), as passed by the Assembly on the 9th September 1946 and signed by me for the concurrence of the Council'."